

**Amendments to the Claims:**

*This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:*

Kindly cancel claims 1 - 10 without prejudice, in favor of new claims 11 - 24.

Claims 1 - 10. (Cancelled)

11. (New) A process for preparing phosphonate-modified organosiloxanes of the formula (I):



in which

R is a hydrogen atom or a monovalent, optionally -CN-, -NCO-, -NR<sup>5</sup>-, -COOH-, -COOR<sup>5</sup>-, -halogen-, -acryloyl-, -epoxy-, -SH-, -OH- or -CONR<sup>5</sup><sub>2</sub>-substituted Si-C-bonded C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-hydrocarbyl or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-hydrocarboxy radical in which one or more nonadjacent methylene units in each case may be replaced by -O-, -CO-, -COO-, -OCO-, -OCOO-, -S- or -NR<sup>5</sup>- groups and in each of which one or more nonadjacent methine units may be replaced by -N=, -N=N- or -P= groups,

R<sup>1</sup> is a hydrogen atom or a monovalent, optionally -CN-, -NCO-, -COOH-, -COOR<sup>5</sup>-, -halogen-, -acryloyl-, -SH-, -OH- or -CONR<sup>5</sup><sub>2</sub>-substituted Si-C-bonded C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-hydrocarbyl or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>15</sub>-hydrocarboxy radical in which one or more nonadjacent methylene units in each case may be replaced by -O-, -CO-, -COO-, -OCO-, -OCOO-, -S- or -NR<sup>5</sup>- groups and in each of which one or more nonadjacent methine units may be replaced by -N=, -N=N- or -P= groups,

R<sup>2</sup> is hydrogen or an optionally -CN- or halogen-substituted C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-hydrocarbyl radical,

R<sup>4</sup> is an optionally -CN- or halogen-substituted C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-hydrocarbyl or hydrocarboxy radical,

$R^5$  is hydrogen or an optionally –CN- or halogen-substituted  $C_1$ - $C_{10}$ -hydrocarbyl radical or substituted or unsubstituted polyoxyalkylene radicals having from 1 to 4000 carbon atoms,

k is an integer from 0 to 100,000,

m is an integer from 0 to 100,000,

p is an integer from 0 to 100,000,

q is an integer from 0 to 100,000,

f is an integer of 1, 2 or 3,

s is an integer of at least 1 and

t is an integer of at least 0,

where

$k + m + p + q$  is an integer of at least 1,

comprising:

reacting functional silanes of the formula (III):



with water, alone or together with silanes of the formula (IV):



where

$R^3$  is hydrogen or an optionally –CN-substituted or halogen-substituted  $C_1$ - $C_{20}$ -hydrocarbyl radical and

g is an integer of 1, 2, 3 or 4 and

R,  $R^1$ ,  $R^2$ ,  $R^4$ , k, m, p, q, f and s are each as defined above.

12. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein alkoxysilanes of the formula (III) react with water to give Si-OH-functional compounds which condense further with one

another to give cyclic, linear, branched or crosslinked organopolysiloxanes or organopolysiloxane resins.

13. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein alkoxysilanes of the formula (III) react with silanes of the general formula (IV) and water to give Si-OH-functional compounds which condense further with one another to give cyclic, linear, branched or crosslinked organopolysiloxanes or organopolysiloxane resins.

14. (New) The process of claim 12, wherein a catalyst is used.

15. (New) The process of claim 14, wherein a catalyst is used.

16. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein the process is carried out at from 10 to 80°C.

17. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein at least one solvent selected from the group consisting of aliphatic hydrocarbons, heptane, decane, aromatic hydrocarbons, toluene, xylene, ether, tetrahydrofuran, diethyl ether, tert-butyl methyl ether, ketones, acetone, and 2-butanone is included in the reaction.

18. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein no solvent is added.

19. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein

R each, independently is a methyl, ethyl, vinyl or trifluoropropyl radical,

R<sup>1</sup> each, independently is a methyl or ethyl radical,

R<sup>2</sup> is hydrogen,

R<sup>3</sup> each, independently is a methyl or ethyl radical,

R<sup>4</sup> each, independently is a substituted or unsubstituted methyl, butyl, phenyl or cyclohexyl radical,

R<sup>5</sup> each, independently is hydrogen or a substituted or unsubstituted C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>-alkyl radical,

k is 0,  
m is 0,  
p is an integer from 5 to 500,  
q is 1 or 2,  
f is an integer of 1, 2 or 3,  
s is an integer of from 2 to 10, and  
t is an integer of at least 0.

20. (New) The process of claim 11, wherein the sum of  $k + m + p + q$  is an integer of at least 3.

21. (New) An elastomer composition comprising as one component thereof, a phosphonate-modified organosiloxane prepared by the process of claim 11.

22. (New) The elastomer composition of claim 21, wherein said phosphonate-modified organosiloxane is an antistatic additive.

23. (New) A siloxane elastomer composition comprising as one component thereof, a phosphonate-modified organosiloxane prepared by the process of claim 11.

24. (New) The siloxane elastomer composition of claim 21, wherein said phosphonate-modified organosiloxane is an antistatic additive.